

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: S. KIMURA, et al.

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For: CACHE CONTROL METHOD FOR NODE APPARATUS

Group: 2188

Examiner: Shawn Eland

**SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT****MS Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Applicants submit herewith a Supplemental Amendment to the amendment filed on July 11, 2008 in response to the Office Action mailed April 24, 2008. Further reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections and allowance of the present application are respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2.

**Remarks** are included following the amendments.